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**METHODS FOR AUTOMATICALLY AND  
SEMI-AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFORMING  
DIGITAL IMAGE DATA TO PROVIDE A  
DESIRED IMAGE LOOK**

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1. ☒ Specification
2. ☐ 8 Sheet(s) of drawing(s)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97.
4. Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney:
  - 4a. ☒ New
  - 4b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d) (for continuation/divisional with Box 11 completed)
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6. ☐ Assignment of the invention to
7. ☐ Certified copy of a priority document
8. ☐ Associate Power of Attorney
9. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s). Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

10. ☐ If a 111A application prior to examination of the above-identified application, amend the specification at Page 1, after the title, by inserting the following:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

Reference is made to and priority claimed from U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. , filed , entitled .

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11. ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: ,
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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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The specification of which (check only one item below):

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☐ was filed as United States Application Serial No. on and  
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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